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Offered by:

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(As Amended)

"AN ACT CONCERNING JOBS FOR THE TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 2 internal references accordingly:
- "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2006*) (a) The Commissioner of Economic and Community Development shall establish a program to provide low-interest loans to manufacturers to be used to upgrade their water treatment facilities to meet the total maximum daily load requirement under the federal Clean Water Act.
- 8 (b) There is established an account to be known as the
 9 "manufacturers' water treatment facilities account" which shall be a
 10 separate, nonlapsing account within the General Fund. The account
 11 shall contain any moneys required by law to be deposited in the
 12 account, but the total amount available for such account shall not
 13 exceed one million dollars. There shall be deposited in the account any

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14 proceeds realized by the state from loan repayments pursuant to this

- 15 section. Investment earnings credited to the account shall become part
- of the assets of the account. Amounts in the account may be used by
- 17 the Department of Economic and Community Development to fund
- 18 the cost of any activities of the department pursuant to this section,
- 19 including administrative costs related to such activities.
- 20 (c) The commissioner shall adopt regulations, in accordance with
- 21 the provisions of chapter 54 of the general statutes, to implement the
- 22 provisions of this section."